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Routine Circumcision CPT Codes 54150, 54160 and 54161 Do Not Require Prior Authorization for Infant Males

Effective on claims with dates of service on or after August 1, 2015, prior authorization is not required for routine circumcisions for infant males under 1 year of age. The affected CPT codes are 54150, 54160 and 54161 and the affected provider types are 10, 12, 17 (specialties 174, 183, 195, 196, 197 and 198), 20, 24, 46, 72 and 77. Prior authorization is required for circumcisions for males over 1 year of age.